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Man Arrested on Multiple Charges After Failing to Stop For Police

On April 26, 2022, at approximately 3 am, Manchester Police were patrolling in the area of Taylor St and Laxson Ave after receiving several reports of car break ins and drug activity.

Officers spotted a male on a bicycle leaving an address in the area without a required headlamp. Given the above stated concerns, and the violation, police attempted to make contact with the bicyclist. Officers initiated their blue lights, parked their cruiser and began to get out. As they did so the bicyclist began to flee. Officers told the male to stop multiple times but he ignored them and a foot pursuit ensued.

When officers caught up with the male, he struggled with police as they took him into custody.

The male was identified as 54 year old Anthony Petricca and he was found to have two active arrest warrants. Officers also located burglary tools on Petricca, along with drugs, debit/ATM cards belonging to other people and various pieces of jewelry and multiple cell phones. Petricca also had a BB gun on him and was determined to be a convicted felon.

Petricca was charged with 5 counts of Possession of a Controlled Drug, Felon in Possession of a Dangerous Weapon, Possession of Burglary Tools, Receiving Stolen Property, Resisting Arrest, and Headlamp Required at Night (Violation).



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